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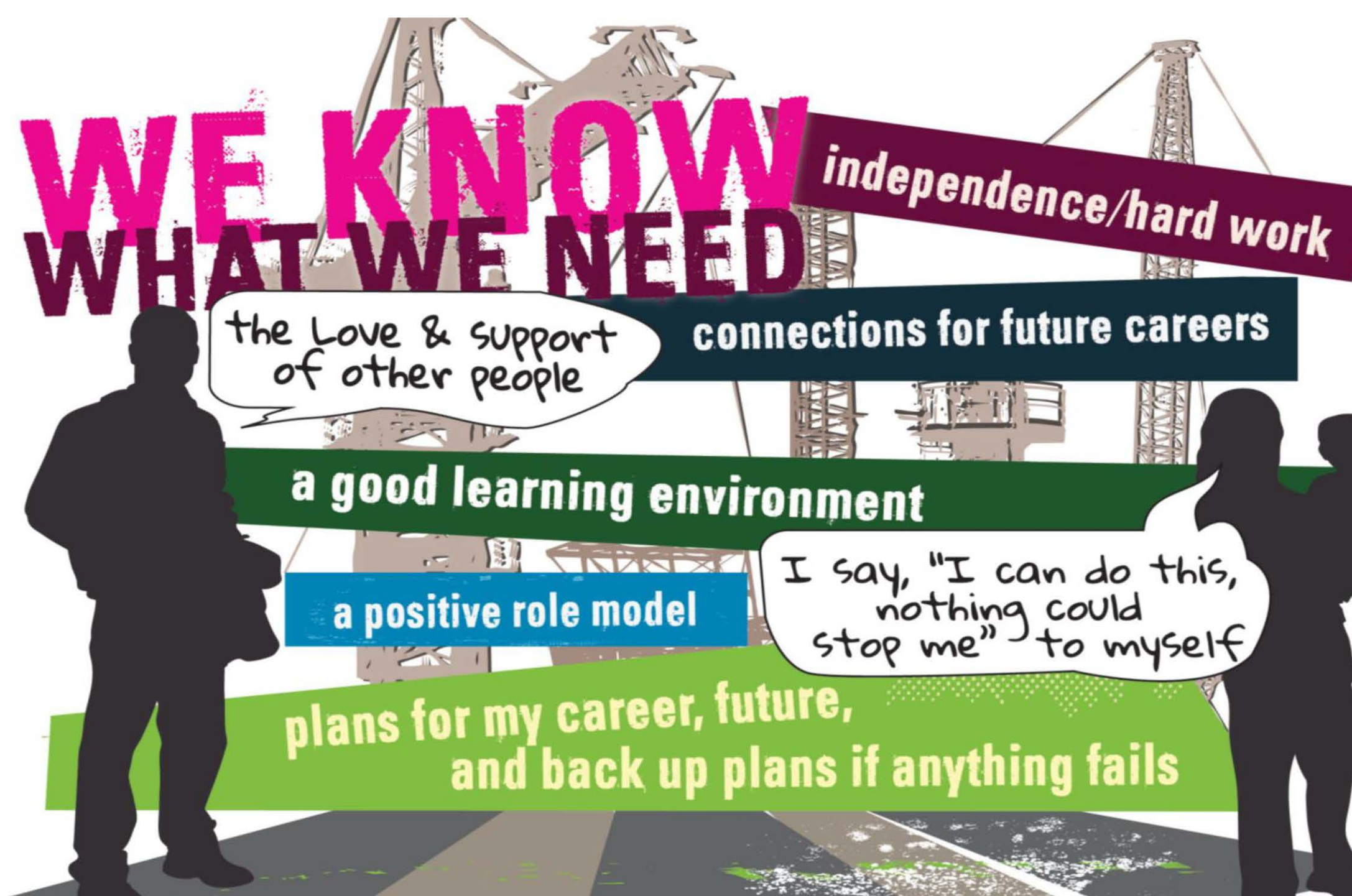
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Agency Mission



Strengthening communities through data, information, and knowledge.

Highlights

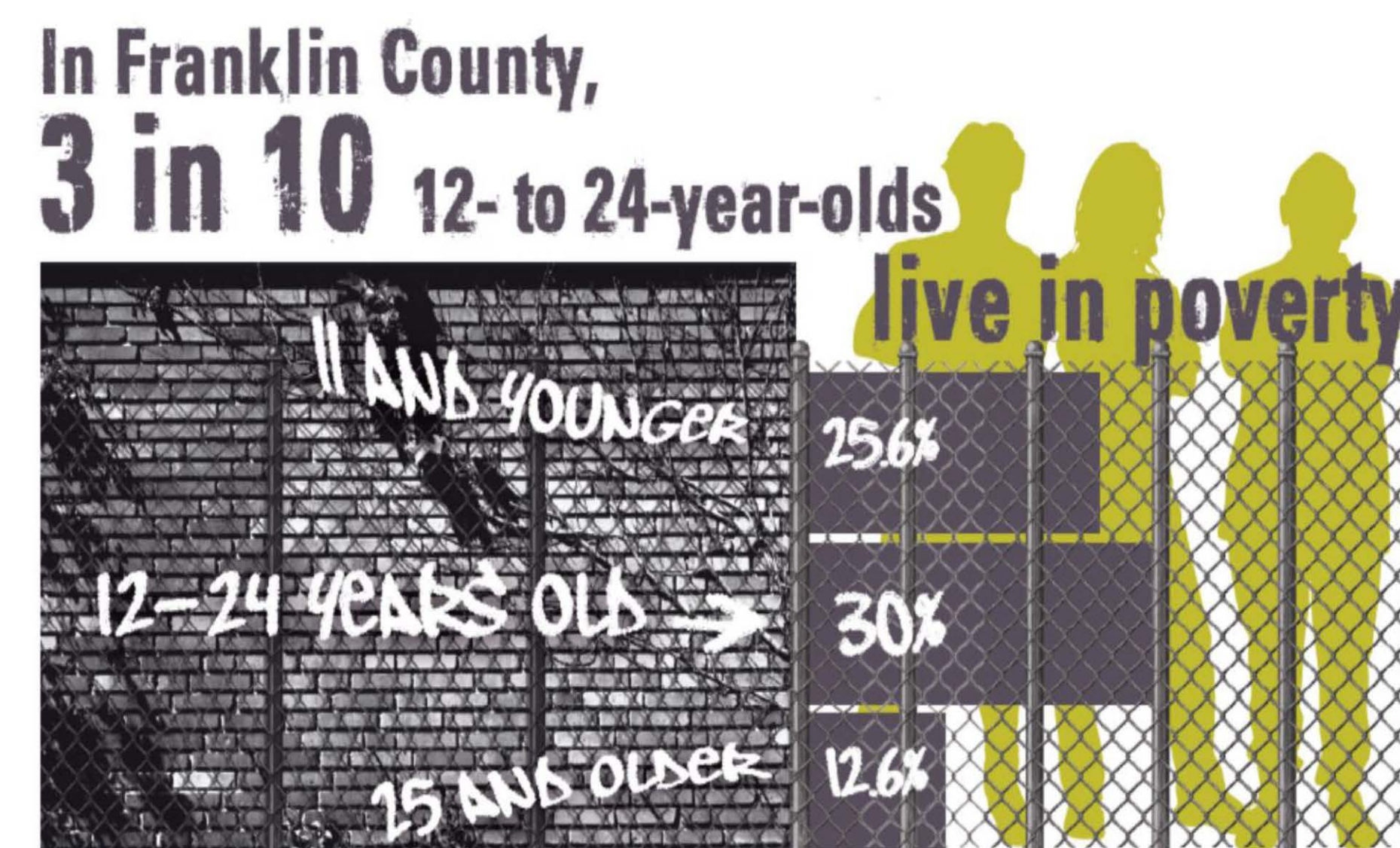


Project Goals

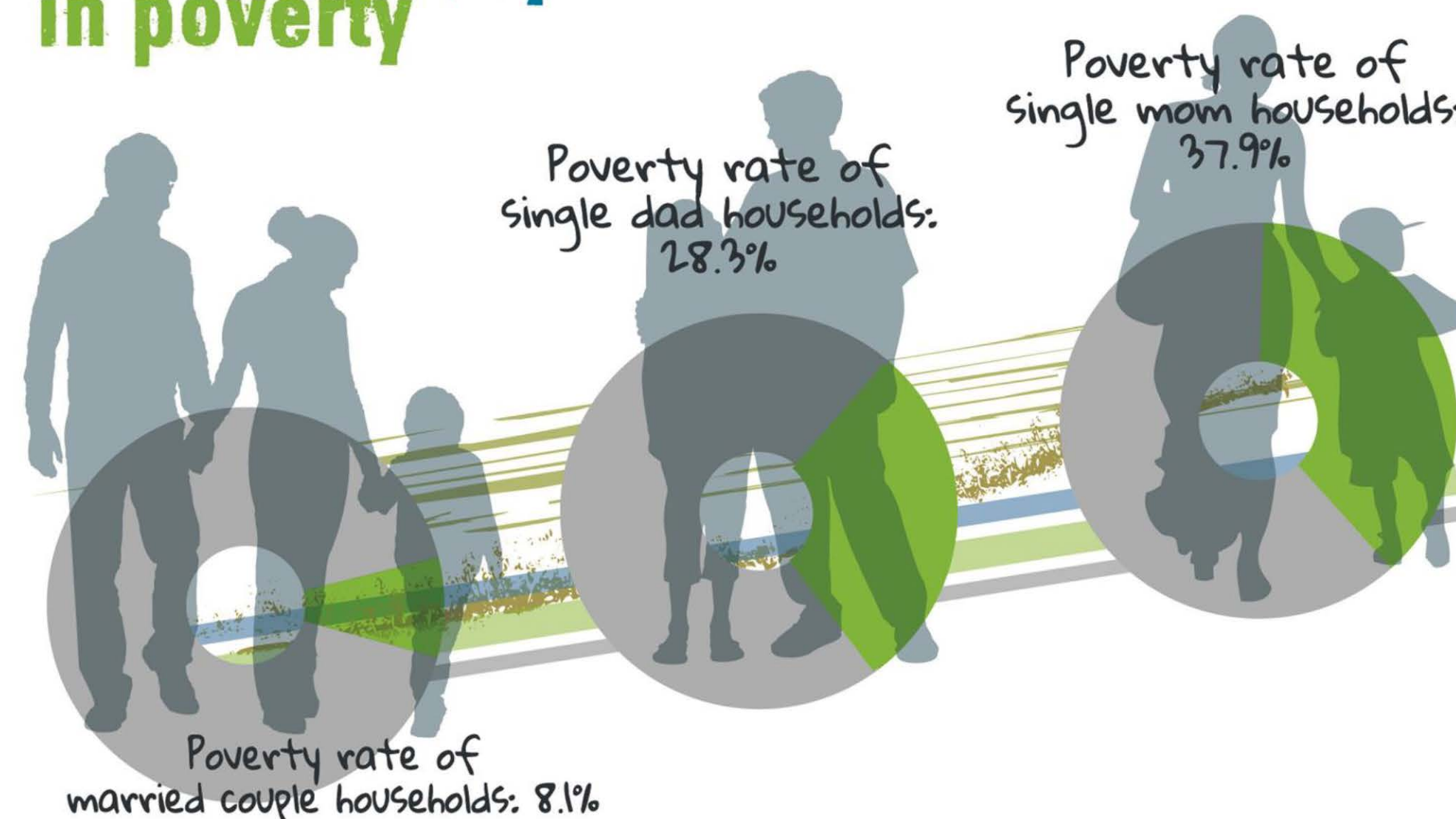
Identify key needs in

- Academics and workforce
- Parent engagement and family functioning
- Social-emotional development
- Health and wellness

Results

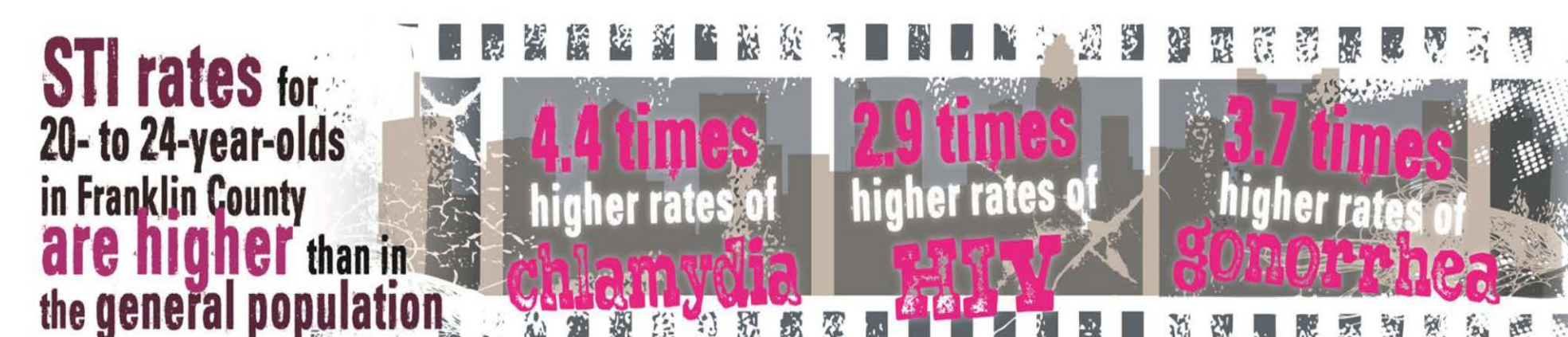
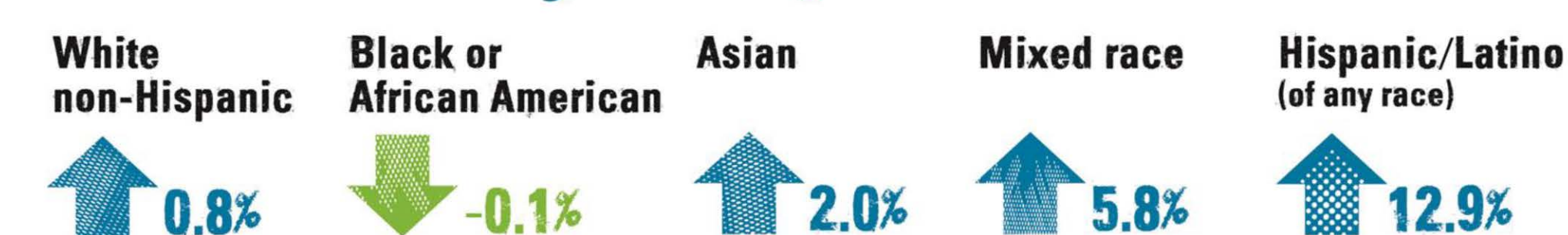


Single parent households
are more likely to be
in poverty



Franklin County has nearly 7,400 more single parent households than in 2000

Each group's change from 2000 to 2013



Percentage of Franklin County public school students
speaking languages other than English at home



Key Needs

- High school retention & on-time grade promotion
- Stable living situations
- Parent/family engagement with schools
- Culturally competent support
- Safety
- Mitigation of risk factors
- Soft skills and employment specific training

Next Steps

1. Develop a comprehensive community plan to identify community-wide best practices
2. Develop youth needs assessment for 0-12 year olds

Key Stakeholders

City of Columbus, FCDJFS, FCCS, UWCO, and Franklin County Commissioner John O'Grady's Office

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